News from Commissioner Liz Stefanics DISTRICT 5 - SANTA FE COUNTY OCTOBER 9, 2012 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSION SUMMARY

I voted at the County Administration building today.

Over 3,000 people have voted



to date.

ABSENTEE AND EARLY VOTING INFORMATION

Absentee In-person voting

Tuesday, October 9 – Saturday, November 3

Santa Fe County Clerk's Office, 102 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe

Monday - Friday, 8:00am -- 5:00pm

Note: The County Clerk's office will be open on Saturday, November 3 from 10:00am -- 6:00pm only, but not other Saturdays of early voting.

Alternate sites for Early Voting

Saturday, October 20 -- Saturday, November 3

Tuesday through Friday, 12:00 Noon – 8:00pm Saturdays 10:00am -- 6:00pm

- Eldorado Senior Center 16 Avenida Torreon, Eldorado
- Santa Fe County Fair Building 3229 Rodeo Road, Santa Fe
- Edgewood Fire Station 25 East Frontage Road, Edgewood
- Pojoaque County Satellite Office 5 W. Gutierrez Ste. 9, Pojoaque Pueblo Plaza

Absentee Voting by Mail

You can request an application for an absentee ballot at any time by calling the County Clerk's office at 986-6280. When you receive the application, you must fill it out and return it to the Clerk's Office, 102 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe.

You may also fill out an application in person at the Clerk's Office office at 102 Grant Avenue.

You may also <u>print out the application</u> and mail or deliver it to the County Clerk's office.

Santa Fe County Clerk's Office 505-986-6280

<u>Thanks,</u> <u>Liz</u>

Below is a summary of the actions taken by the Santa Fe Board of County Commissioners (BCC). All five Commissioners were present.

The BCC approved the August 14, 2012 and August 28, 2012 BCC minutes.

The Consent Calendar was unanimously approved.

PRESENTATIONS

The BCC heard presentations on Region III initiatives, history and concerns from the Agua Fria Village and Buckman Direct Diversion (BDD) system operations and future perspectives.

PROCLAMATIONS

A proclamation to raise awareness of Domestic Violence during the month of October was unanimously approved.

A Certificate of Recognition was unanimously approved for David Padilla, Santa Fe County Public Works Project Manager. David was the recipient of the New Mexico Coalition Against Domestic Violence and Community Hero Award for the Esperanza Shelter.

GROWTH MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

The Board unanimously approved authorization to Publish Title and General Summary of an Ordinance Amending Article 3, Section 3.2 of Ordinance No. 2008-10 (Flood Damage Prevention and Stormwater Management Ordinance) to adopt the new Flood Insurance Study (FIS) and Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs).

FINANCE DIVISION

Resolution No. 2012-136, requesting a budget increase in the amount of \$35,000 to the 2010B Series Capital Outlay Gross Receipts Tax (GRT) Revenue Bond Fund (338) to budget available cash to study a means of delivering raw water to Las Campanas when the Buckman Direct Diversion is off line was approved (3-2 with Commissioners Anaya and Mayfield voting against).

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The BCC unanimously approved \$395,000 for supplemental Sole Community Providers.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

A resolution allocating the proceeds of the sale of the Top of the World Ranch water rights as part of the Aamodt Water Rights Settlement agreement was tabled.

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the Eldorado Area Water and Sanitation District and The Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County regarding mutual water services cooperation was unanimously approved.

MATTERS FROM THE COMMISSION

Resolution No. 2012-138, instructing Santa Fe County members and the alternate member of the Buckman Direct Diversion Board not to vote on the issue of placing supplemental fluoride compounds in the water supply was unanimously approved.

PUBLIC HEARINGS (GROWTH MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT)

CDRC Case # V 12-5150 Victor & Patsy Roybal Land Division Variance - was Not Approved (3-2 with Commissioners Anaya and Mayfield voting in favor of the variance). (District 2)

Once recorded, all approved Ordinances and Resolutions are available on the County website at http://www.santafecountynm.gov/ordinances_and_resolutions.

All BCC meetings are broadcast live at http://www.santafecountynm.gov, Comcast Channel 28 and Que Suave AM 810. To view recorded video of this BCC meeting, go to http://santafecountynm.gov/video on demand/ or check GOV TV Channel 28 listings. Approved transcripts of this meeting will be available within 10 working days of approval at www.santafecountynm.gov.

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